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Filed: August 25, 2000

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For: TRANSPORT SYSTEM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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Sir:

In Reply to the Office Action mailed March 22, 2005, please amend the above application as set forth below.